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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/712,257 Confirmation No. : 8056
First Named Inventor : Lothar ZIPFEL
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TC/A.U. : 1711
Examiner : J. M. COONEY

Docket No. : 037110.52632US
Customer No. : 23911

Title : Non-Combustible Polyesterpolyol And/or Polyetherpolyol
Preblend for Producing Foamed Products

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The following remarks are respectfully submitted in response to the non-final Office Action dated February 13, 2006, the period for response having been extended to Monday, August 14, 2006 by the attached Petition for Extension of Time.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.